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Backlog Vacancies in Banks
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether vacancies reserved for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes (SCs/STs) Other Backward Classes (OBCs) categories in schedule commercial banks have not been filled up:

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether there is a huge backlog of vacancies of reserved posts in pertaining to all categories due to improper implementation and non-adherence to the reservation policy in the banks;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(e) the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE

(a)and(b):Vacancies reserved for Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes (SCs/STs) and Other Backward Classes (OBCs) in Public Sector Banks (PSBs) and Regional Rural Banks (RRBs) are filled up every year based on vacancies identified including due reservation for SC/ST/OBC categories, as per Government guidelines and man power planning of such banks. The backlog of SC/ST/OBC vacancies, if any, due to non-availability of candidates or non-reporting of the selected candidates are included in the next year's recruitment process.

(c)and(d):PSBs and RRBs are adhering to the reservation policy of the Government for SC/ST and OBC categories in letter and spirit and there is no improper implementation.

(e): In view of the reply to parts (c) and (d) above, the question dose not arise.
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